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FYSA, BBM to follow.

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Situation as of 0904hrshrs on 2022-02-11

Event Overview:

- **No demonstrators** reported to be on **Parliament Hill** at this time.
- **No demonstrators reported on Wellington St. and in the downtown core.**
- OPS estimate that there **are 505 trucks in the downtown core.**
- Other Events:
 - o Ottawa, ON:
 - OPS advised of a possible planned protest that would take place on February 12th, 2022 from 1100hrs to 1300hrs near Lansdowne Park. [\[iii\]](#)
 - o E Division:

- 2022-02-11:
 - Richmond, BC- Canada Wide Airport Protest at 1200hrs
 - BC Wide- BC School Wide Walkout at 1400hrs
- 2022-02-12
 - Vancouver, BC- Freedom Convoy at 1000hrs starting in Chilliwack travelling to the 176th Border crossing, Vancouver Airport loop to Vancouver Art Gallery
 - Langley, BC- Riding the Line and BC Block Party at 100hrs.
 - Chilliwack to 176th Border Truck Crossing at 1100hrs.
 - Penticton, BC- Ongoing Ottawa Support Protest planned for every Satureday.
 - Invermere, BC- Convoy from Eagle Ranch Golf Course at 1400hrs.
 - Kamloops, BC- Freedom Kamloops Support Rally from 1030hrs-1330hrs
 - Kelowna, BC- Gathering at City Hall at 1200hrs
 - Kelowna, BC- Convoy from Kelowna to West Kelowna starting at 1200hrs
 - Vernon, BC- Okanagan Slow Roll Convoy at 0930hrs
 - Port Hardy/Port McNeil- North Island Freedom Convoy Rally starting at 0845hrs
 - Victoria, BC- Island Convoy starting in Campbell River at 0645hrs and arriving at the BC Legislature at 11:30hrs.
 - Roosville, BC- Highway Convoy at 1200hrs
 - Prince George, BC- PG Rally for Freedom at 1200hrs
- 2022-02-13
 - Barrier, BC- Convoy from Band shell at 1000hrs.
- 2022-02-14
 - Kamloops, BC- Maskless Monday at the Superstore in Kamloops.
- 2022-02-18
 - 100 Mile House, BC- Slow Roll commencing at 0900hrs.
- 2022-02-19:
 - Burnaby, BC- Freedom Convoy to Global News Rally from 1000hrs to 1500hrs.
 - Vernon to Vancouver- Convoy meeting in Vernon at Hwy 97, departing at 0930hrs and travelling to Vancouver.
 - 100 Mile House- Slow Roll at 1200hrs.
- 2022-02-21
 - Chilliwack, BC- Family Day Convoy starting at 1100hrs.
- 2022-03-04 & 2022-03-05
 - Victoria, BC- Roll out to Victoria from all of BC.

Operational Information:

- Approx. eight hours ago, **Personal Info.** posted an image to his personal Facebook which states: “Old Doug Ford Premier of Ontario. Maybe needs a visit once Trudeau is learned.”
- CIG received reports that OPS Chief Sloly mentioned during a media briefing yesterday that police operations coordination will be done at an RCMP Ottawa building. This was flagged as it may raise the public threat profile on RCMP buildings. The statement reported was the following:
 - o *...established a provincial wide resource base. It is actually working here in Ottawa out of an RCMP building and I literally just finished a call with all three levels of public safety agencies including all major police services here in Ontario around the establishment of that central coordination hub.*
- The Freedom Convoy 2022 Facebook page has shared a video from which was originally posted by The Crackpot Farmer on Facebook. In the video, the individual states the following key points:
 - o “Give send go has since officially replied on more than one platform saying that no the Canadian Government and what not has no jurisdiction over them being an American Company. And so, the funds are still accessible for us. And so that is not a problem.”
 - o “So if we are still here tomorrow morning, we’re home free for the entire weekend because they won’t be able to do anything on Friday because it sounds like a whole lot of you were going to be here on Friday afternoon for the weekend...”
 - o “News for tomorrow, starting at 9 o’clock tomorrow in front of Parliament is a meeting place for a Jericho ^[ii] march.” The route of the march was not disclosed in the video.
- The Instagram page @women.fighting.for.freedom has shared various sociale media posts advertising the school walkout demonstration which is expected to take place today, 2022-02-11 at 1400hrs throughout Ontario. The posts call on individuals to meet at their closest school district head office to protest COVID-19 restrictions and mandates. The group has also shared a few addresses of school district head offices, most of which appear to be located in the GTA.
- **Personal Info.** posted a video on his YouTube channel **Personal Info.** entitled: “ITS BED TIME GOVERNMENT”. Throughout the video, **Personal Info.** mocks the ‘lack of plan’ by the government and police force to counter the demonstration. He laughs about a plan to use helicopters to move trucks and news that the police are constantly coming, then not coming. **Personal Info.** states there is confusion and dissension in the police: ”“the police don’t want to be doing this...you go down there and see them all the time they are looking at their feet...they feel disgusting.”

He asks the government if they are going to break into the trucks and move them one by one. **Personal Info.** tells the government to “take the loss, there is no way out of this for you”. He states it will end with either the government admitting defeat or dragging it out and looking more ridiculous day after day. He states this weekend there is going to be even more people than the last two weekends. [\[i\]](#)

- **Personal Info.** posted a video on **s.37** discussing the freezing of the GiveSendGo funding and mentions they have a lawyer working on it. **Personal** also states: “apparently there is a bunch of wreckers coming in, tonight is the night maybe, we’re not sure, Ottawa City Police are going to play their cards. Tomorrow morning, everybody showing up for the weekend, we might all be in jail, you never know”. [\[ii\]](#)
- PPS advised that the Government of Ontario states that a Superior Court Justice has granted an application to prohibit anyone from distributing donations made to the “Freedom Convoy 2022” and “Adopt-a-Trucker” GiveSendGo campaigns. [\[iv\]](#)
 - o CIG OSINT identified a GiveSendGo tweet that states Canada has “absolutely zero jurisdiction” over how they manage their funds and that all funds flow directly to recipients, including the Freedom Convoy campaign. The Tweet is receiving significant engagement on Twitter. [\[v\]](#)
- CIG OSINT identified another video of **Personal Info.** which is being shared on Twitter. **Personal** states that he believes the police will move in tonight or sometime in the early morning and start rounding up peaceful protestors. **Personal** says he is concerned this will escalate the situation on the ground and make it more tense and dangerous for everybody.
- OPS advised that as of today the occupancy rate of the Marriott Hotel at 302 Coventry is 17% and is now at 70% for February 12.
- **FPNS Task Force Update:**
 - o Reviewed CIG updates:
 - #122, 123 and 124 for NS concerns;
 - No concerns identified
 - Monitored various social media platforms in order to identify any NS concerns.
- **PROS 2022-170622:** On 2022-02-09, FPNS acted on online information that **Pers** **Personal** boasted of 4000 rounds of ammo and stockpiling guns. GTA INSET obtained a screen capture from the complainant and TIOS confirmed **Personal** current location in Coutts, AB. FPNS contacted K Div to release a BOLO (be on (the) look-out) for

Personal for public and officer safety purposes. FPNS sent information on **Personal** to K INSET.

- ****UPDATE 2022-02-10** – K INSET located **Personal** and engaged in a 20min conversation. K INSET does not believe **Personal** is a current threat and there was no evidence to continue an investigation. K INSET will assist further if needed. File concluded.

Operational Planning:

- Nil updates at this time.

Protective Clients and Protective Sites:

- PRU conducted increased patrols throughout the evening at the various protected sites and residences, no issues to report.
- Supreme Court Chief Justice will be departing the NCR for the Montreal area and is scheduled to return on 2022-02-13. All remaining protectees will be within the NCR with regular escorts throughout the day.

Communications:

- There are currently 295 news items in media monitoring in relation to the demonstrations. Coverage has turned heavily to the national and international political and economic elements of the ongoing protests. Reporting of the blockade at Ambassador Bridge has drawn comparatively more coverage than the other protests, particularly from American media outlets. There are several articles that discuss actions taken by the Ontario provincial government against the protests, including an attempt to “freeze” Freedom Convoy funds raised via GiveSendGo, stepping up enforcement and raising fines as well as a pending injunction against Ambassador Bridge protestors brought forward by the City of Windsor. A number of articles also highlight the severe economic impacts of the border blockades, noting that the incidents are hurting industry and causing severe disruptions to supply lines. The economic impact of these incidents has prompted meetings between both Canadian and U.S. officials to find a solution, with the federal government being encouraged by their American counterparts to find a resolution as soon as possible.
- Last evening, the Prime Minister issued a series of messages on his Twitter account in regards to the demonstrations:
 - [Justin Trudeau](#) *This evening, I had several meetings that were focused on the illegal blockades and occupations happening across the country. They're harming the communities they're taking place in – and they're hurting jobs, businesses, and our country's economy. First, I convened an Incident Response Group meeting with ministers and officials. We'll continue to work closely with municipal and provincial governments to end these blockades, and to make sure*

they have the resources they need. I also spoke with @DrewDilkens, the Mayor of Windsor, about the illegal blockade of the Ambassador Bridge. We're committed to helping the Mayor and the province get the situation under control – because it is causing real harm to workers and economies on both sides of the border. Finally, I briefed the leaders of the opposition parties on the current situation and the latest developments. I stressed how important it is for all Members of Parliament, from every party, to denounce these illegal acts – and to call for an end to these blockades.

- CTV's Evan Solomon also issued the following tweet:
 - o [Evan Solomon](#): Senior source telling me tonight that US, Canada and Ontario are coordinating on dealing with blockades at borders and the province will move "aggressively tomorrow." Will be a "big step" on "penalties" and possible enforcement action with Fed help.
- There have been no media requests since the last update.

[iii] www.reddit.com/r/ottawa/comments/speccl/pro_ottawa_rally_2022_and_the_ottawa_lore_project/

[iii] * Definition: A Jericho March is what some may refer to as a prayer walk by a group of congregation with the purpose to pray for or against something and to ask God to intercede, protect or change something.

[i] <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IKdoL4o4Zlw>

[ii] s.37

[iv] [Ontario court freezes access to donations for truckers' protest from GiveSendGo | CTV News](#)

[v] <https://twitter.com/GiveSendGo/status/1491940399505682434>